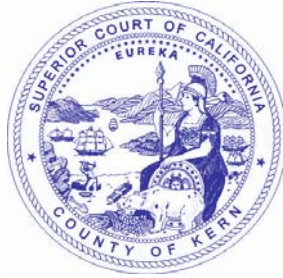


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MANDATORY TRAINING FOR TEMPORARY JUDGES

The California Judicial Council recently enacted new requirements for attorneys who serve as court-appointed temporary judges. The most significant change involves mandatory training for current and future temporary judges. Training for current temporary judges must be completed by January 1, 2007.

Kern County Superior Court and the Kern County Bar Association are working together to provide the mandatory training as required in CRC Rule 343.14(a) on October 28, 2006 during the "MCLE Spooktacular." For more information regarding the training on October 28, contact Wendy Ash at (661) 334-4700 or e-mail Terry McNally at WMAdmin@kern.courts.ca.gov.

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